

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application.

**Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) An integrated portal system comprising;  
a computer database;  
an industry related portal;  
a second portal of a different industry ;  
said system integrating said portals so that a user can [view information]  
simultaneously display information related to said portal and said second portal  
on a screen [relating to both portals in a single system].
2. (Original) The system of claim 1 wherein said user can perform transactions in said single system.
3. (Currently amended) The system of claim 1 wherein each of said portals contains a mini portal, defined as a vertical market portal and a micro portal, defined as specific niches within industries.
4. (Original) The system of claim 1 further comprising a search engine.
5. (Original) The system of claim 4 wherein said search engine can search within a single industry or within related industries.
6. (Previously presented) The system of claim 1 further comprising a computer program for transaction tracking information.
7. (Previously presented) The system of claim 1 wherein said computer database further comprises product specification charts.

8. (Original) The system of claim 2 further comprising a search engine, said engine being able to search in mini portals and micro portals.
9. (Previously presented) The system of claim 1 further comprising;  
a program for online communication between individuals within an industry related portal and a second portal.
10. (Currently Amended) A method for creating an integrated portal system comprising;  
entering job characteristics of a user into a computer database;  
said [system] database creating said integrated portal system based on said job characteristics of said user;  
wherein said job characteristics comprise: job types, geographical location, educational background, previous work experience, and job experience.
11. (Previously presented) An industrial database comprising;  
a search engine;  
said database having product or service specifications and independent product reports; and  
a program for answering questions from a user.
12. (Original) The database of claim 11 further comprising;  
a list of vendors and vendor product information.
13. (Original) The database of claim 12 wherein said vendor product information is updated automatically from a vendor's website.

14. (Original) The database of claim 12 wherein said database has a characteristic template.
15. (Original) The database of claim 12 wherein said database has a usage template.
16. (Original) The database of claim 12 wherein said database provides a price analysis mechanism.
17. (Currently Amended) A content management system comprising;  
a computer database;  
said computer database comprising MiniPortal(s), MicroPortal(s), and MacroPortal(s);  
information stored in a MiniPortal(s), defined as a vertical market portal;  
information stored in a MicroPortal(s) defined as specific niches within industries;  
said information from said MiniPortal and said MicroPortal made less technical when it enters said MacroPortal;